

<b>Report on</b>	Dual Language Signage Surveys
<b>Date of Meeting</b>	10 <sup>th</sup> September 2019
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<b>Is this report restricted for confidential business?</b>	Yes	
If 'Yes', confirm below the exempt information category relied upon	No	X

<b>1.0</b>	<b>Purpose of Report</b>
1.1	To advise Members on the result of surveys undertaken on all applicable residents on the streets/roads in response to Dual Language Signage Nameplate requests.
<b>2.0</b>	<b>Background</b>
2.1	In accordance with the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) NI Order 1995 – Article 11 the Council is tasked with the responsibility to erect dual language signs or second nameplates, adjacent to the nameplate in English.
2.2	The Policy for Street Naming and Dual Language Signage – Section 6.0, as adopted (See Appendix 1) forms the basis for considering requests expressing the name in a language other than English, to both existing and new streets.
2.3	In accordance with the Policy as adopted, all occupiers as listed on the Electoral Register residing on the streets/roads as noted below were canvassed, by post seeking their views on the request to erect dual-language street nameplates in the Irish Language as requested in each case.
<b>3.0</b>	<b>Main Report</b>
3.1	The Building Control Service within the Public Health and Infrastructure Directorate issued occupiers of the undernoted streets, correspondence seeking their views on the request to erect a dual-language street nameplate.
3.2	Completed surveys were received by the return date and the outcome is as follows in each case:

3.3

Name of Street	Lisnahull Gardens, Dungannon
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	09/04/2019
Survey Request Reported to Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	06/06/2019
Surveys returned by	04/07/2019
Survey Letters Issued	32
Survey Letters Returned	7
Replies in Favour	7
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	7
Percentage in Favour	100%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Lisnahull Gardens, Dungannon will be erected.

3.4

Name of Street	Pomeroy Road, Cookstown
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	20/03/2019
Survey Request Reported to Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	06/06/2019
Surveys returned by	04/07/2019
Survey Letters Issued	54
Survey Letters Returned	27
Replies in Favour	11
Replies not in Favour	16
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	27
Percentage in Favour	41%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are not in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Pomeroy Road, Cookstown will not be approved or erected.

3.5

Name of Street	Lisnahull Park, Dungannon
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	01/04/2019
Survey Request Reported to Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	06/06/2019
Surveys returned by	04/07/2019
Survey Letters Issued	130
Survey Letters Returned	25
Replies in Favour	25
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	25
Percentage in Favour	100%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Lisnahull Park, Dungannon will be erected.

3.6

Name of Street	Dunavon Park, Dungannon
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	01/04/2019
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	06/06/2019
Surveys returned by	04/07/2019
Survey Letters Issued	114
Survey Letters Returned	28
Replies in Favour	28
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	28
Percentage in Favour	100%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Dunavon Park, Dungannon will be erected.

3.7

Name of Street	The Brambles, Coalisland
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	05/04/2019
Survey Request Reported to Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	06/06/2019
Surveys returned by	04/07/2019
Survey Letters Issued	59
Survey Letters Returned	29
Replies in Favour	27
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	2
Valid Returns	27
Percentage in Favour	100%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at The Brambles, Coalisland will be erected.

3.8

Name of Street	Ardbeg, Dungannon
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	05/04/2019
Survey Request Reported to Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	06/06/2019
Surveys returned by	04/07/2019
Survey Letters Issued	37
Survey Letters Returned	11
Replies in Favour	11
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	11
Percentage in Favour	100%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Ardbeg, Dungannon will be erected.

3.9

Name of Street	Drummullan Road, Moneymore
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	24/04/2019
Survey Request Reported to Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	19/06/2019
Surveys returned by	17/07/2019
Survey Letters Issued	70
Survey Letters Returned	21
Replies in Favour	18
Replies not in Favour	3
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	21
Percentage in Favour	86%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Drummullan Road, Moneymore will be erected.

3.10

Name of Street	Lurgylea Road, Dungannon
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	24/04/2019
Survey Request Reported to Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	19/06/2019
Surveys returned by	17/07/2019
Survey Letters Issued	181
Survey Letters Returned	70
Replies in Favour	68
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	2
Valid Returns	68
Percentage in Favour	100%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Lurgylea Road, Dungannon will be erected.

3.11

Name of Street	Spring Road, Coagh
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	25/04/2019
Survey Request Reported to Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	19/06/2019
Surveys returned by	17/07/2019
Survey Letters Issued	42
Survey Letters Returned	12
Replies in Favour	8
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	4
Valid Returns	8
Percentage in Favour	100%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Spring Road, Coagh will be erected.

3.12

Name of Street	Ronan Manor, Ballyronan
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	25/04/2019
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	19/06/2019
Surveys returned by	17/07/2019
Survey Letters Issued	61
Survey Letters Returned	26
Replies in Favour	26
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	26
Percentage in Favour	100%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Ronan Manor, Ballyronan will be erected.

3.13

Name of Street	Shore Road, Ballyronan
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	25/04/2019
Survey Request Reported to Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	19/06/2019
Surveys returned by	17/07/2019
Survey Letters Issued	246
Survey Letters Returned	104
Replies in Favour	59
Replies not in Favour	31
Invalid	14
Valid Returns	90
Percentage in Favour	66%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Shore Road, Ballyronan will be erected.

3.14

Name of Street	Ashleigh Park, Ballyronan
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	25/04/2019
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	19/06/2019
Surveys returned by	17/07/2019
Survey Letters Issued	49
Survey Letters Returned	9
Replies in Favour	9
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	9
Percentage in Favour	100%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Ashleigh Park, Ballyronan will be erected.

3.15

Name of Street	Ballymoyle Road, Coagh
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	01/05/2019
Survey Request Reported to Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	27/06/2019
Surveys returned by	25/07/2019
Survey Letters Issued	47
Survey Letters Returned	33
Replies in Favour	15
Replies not in Favour	18
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	33
Percentage in Favour	45%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Ballymoyle Road, Coagh will not be approved or erected.

3.16

Name of Street	Belagherty Road, Magherafelt
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	01/05/2019
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	27/06/2019
Surveys returned by	25/07/2019
Survey Letters Issued	95
Survey Letters Returned	39
Replies in Favour	26
Replies not in Favour	11
Invalid	2
Valid Returns	37
Percentage in Favour	70%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Belagherty Road, Magherafelt will be erected



3.17

Name of Street	Lindsay Ville, Ballyronan
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	01/05/2019
Survey Request Reported to Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	27/06/2019
Surveys returned by	25/07/2019
Survey Letters Issued	56
Survey Letters Returned	10
Replies in Favour	10
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	10
Percentage in Favour	100%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Lindsay Ville, Ballyronan will be erected

3.18

Name of Street	Carnagh, Coagh
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	22/05/2019
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	27/06/2019
Surveys returned by	25/07/2019
Survey Letters Issued	25
Survey Letters Returned	10
Replies in Favour	10
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	10
Percentage in Favour	100%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Carnagh, Coagh will be erected

3.19

Name of Street	Brookmount Road, Moneymore
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	01/05/2019
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	27/06/2019
Surveys returned by	25/07/2019
Survey Letters Issued	65
Survey Letters Returned	21
Replies in Favour	13
Replies not in Favour	8
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	21
Percentage in Favour	62%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Brookmount Road, Moneymore will be erected

3.20

Name of Street	Gausen Villas, Ballyronan
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	01/05/2019
Survey Request Reported to Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	27/06/2019
Surveys returned by	25/07/2019
Survey Letters Issued	14
Survey Letters Returned	9
Replies in Favour	9
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	9
Percentage in Favour	100%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Gausen Villas, Ballyronan will be erected

3.21

Name of Street	Lakeview Park, Coalisland
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	01/05/2019
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	05/07/2019
Surveys returned by	02/08/2019
Survey Letters Issued	55
Survey Letters Returned	38
Replies in Favour	38
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	38
Percentage in Favour	100%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Lakeview Park, Coalisland will be erected

3.22

Name of Street	Ardstewart, Stewartstown
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	02/05/2019
Survey Request Reported to Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	05/07/2019
Surveys returned by	02/08/2019
Survey Letters Issued	89
Survey Letters Returned	28
Replies in Favour	23
Replies not in Favour	4
Invalid	1
Valid Returns	27
Percentage in Favour	85%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Ardstewart, Stewartstown will be erected

3.23

Name of Street	Benburb Road, Moy
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	10/05/2019
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	11/06/2019
Surveys Issued	05/07/2019
Surveys returned by	02/08/2019
Survey Letters Issued	115
Survey Letters Returned	52
Replies in Favour	23
Replies not in Favour	28
Invalid	1
Valid Returns	51
Percentage in Favour	45%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Benburb Road, Moy will not be approved or erected.

3.24

Name of Street	Redford Park, Dungannon
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	20/05/2019
Survey Request Reported to Environment Committee	01/07/2019
Surveys Issued	05/07/2019
Surveys returned by	02/08/2019
Survey Letters Issued	64
Survey Letters Returned	24
Replies in Favour	22
Replies not in Favour	1
Invalid	1
Valid Returns	23
Percentage in Favour	96%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Redford Park, Dungannon will be erected

3.25

Name of Street	Glebe Mews, Dungannon
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	23/05/2019
Survey Request Approved by Environment Committee	01/07/2019
Surveys Issued	05/07/2019
Surveys returned by	02/08/2019
Survey Letters Issued	32
Survey Letters Returned	19
Replies in Favour	19
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	19
Percentage in Favour	100%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Glebe Mews, Dungannon will be erected

3.26

Name of Street	Mullantain View, Stewartstown
Language Requested	Irish
Date Request Validated	16/05/2019
Survey Request Reported to Environment Committee	01/07/2019
Surveys Issued	05/07/2019
Surveys returned by	02/08/2019
Survey Letters Issued	17
Survey Letters Returned	6
Replies in Favour	6
Replies not in Favour	0
Invalid	0
Valid Returns	6
Percentage in Favour	100%

In accordance with the Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy, where more than 51% of the completed replies returned by occupiers indicate that they are in favour of the erection of a dual language street nameplate, it is confirmed that the dual language nameplates at Mullantain View, Stewartstown will be erected

<b>4.0</b>	<b>Other Considerations</b>
<b>4.1</b>	<b>Financial, Human Resources &amp; Risk Implications</b>
	Financial: Within Current Resources
	Human: Within Current Resources
	Risk Management: None
<b>4.2</b>	<b>Screening &amp; Impact Assessments</b>
	Equality & Good Relations Implications: None
	Rural Needs Implications: None
<b>5.0</b>	<b>Recommendation(s)</b>
5.1	That Members note the results of the surveys for application of Dual Language Nameplates in Irish for the streets/roads as detailed below.
5.2	Where more than 51 % of occupiers that respond indicated that they were in favour of the erection of a dual language signage, nameplates will be erected. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>1. Lisnahull Gardens, Dungannon</b></li> <li><b>2. Lisnahull Park, Dungannon</b></li> <li><b>3. Dunavon Park, Dungannon</b></li> <li><b>4. The Brambles, Coalisland</b></li> <li><b>5. Ardbeg, Dungannon</b></li> <li><b>6. Drummullan Road, Cookstown</b></li> <li><b>7. Lurgylea Road, Dungannon</b></li> <li><b>8. Spring Road, Coagh</b></li> <li><b>9. Ronan Manor, Ballyronan</b></li> <li><b>10. Shore Road, Ballyronan</b></li> <li><b>11. Ashleigh Park, Ballyronan</b></li> <li><b>12. Belagherty Road, Magherafelt</b></li> <li><b>13. Lindsay Ville, Ballyronan</b></li> </ul>

	<p><b>14. Carnagh, Coagh</b></p> <p><b>15. Brookmount Road, Moneymore</b></p> <p><b>16. Gaussen Villas, Ballyronan</b></p> <p><b>17. Lakeview Park, Coalisland</b></p> <p><b>18. Ard Stewart, Stewartstown</b></p> <p><b>19. Redford Park, Dungannon</b></p> <p><b>20. Glebe Mews, Dungannon</b></p> <p><b>21. Mullantain View, Stewartstown</b></p>
5.3	<p>Where less than 51 % of occupiers that responded indicate that they were not in favour of the erection of a dual-language street nameplate, then the dual language nameplate will not be approved or erected.</p> <p><b>1. Pomeroy Road, Cookstown</b></p> <p><b>2. Ballymoyle Road, Coagh</b></p> <p><b>3. Benburb Road, Moy</b></p>
<b>6.0</b>	<b>Documents Attached &amp; References</b>
6.1	Appendix 1 – Street Naming and Dual Language Signage – Section 6.0: Dual Language Signage Nameplates Policy
6.2	Appendix 2 – Dual Language Nameplate Translation for each street/road